

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 8-15, 23-28, and 31-33, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend the following claims:

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C1 1. (Twice Amended) A method of making an absorbent article, the method comprising:

producing polyethene from renewable raw material, and
using the polyethene as a component of the absorbent article.

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C2 16. (Twice Amended) A method of producing an absorbent article, said method comprising

producing ethene from renewable raw material;
polymerizing the ethene to polyethene;
producing film containing said polyethene;
forming at least one article component from said film;
feeding said component into a machine together with an absorbent body; and
joining said component to the absorbent body.

C3 D-7 19. (Twice Amended) The method according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one article component is a liquid-impermeable backing sheet of the absorbent article.

0.7 20. (Twice Amended) The method according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one article component is an outer sheet or top sheet of the absorbent article.

C3 21. (Twice Amended) The method according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one article component is waist elastic of the absorbent article.

22. (Twice Amended) The method according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one article component is a fastener device of the absorbent article.

Please add the following new Claims 35-37.

Added 7 35. (New) A method of making a packaging material, comprising:
producing polyethene from a renewable raw material, and producing from the polyethene a component of the packaging material.

C4 36. (New) A method according to Claim 35, wherein the component consists of said polyethene.

37. (New) A method according to Claim 35, wherein the component comprises from 50 to 99% of said polyethene.

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